मैसर्स फर्गुसन ट्रैक्टर कंपनी के डीलरों द्वारा कालाबाजारी

4741. **श्री मूल चन्द मीणा :** क्या **प्रधान मंत्री** यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या राजस्थान में मैसर्स फर्गुसन ट्रैक्टर कंपनी के जयपुर के डीलर कालाबाजारी में लिप्त हैं ;

(ख) क्या राजस्थान में डीलरों को दो या तीन महीने पहले किसानों से ट्रैक्टरों की पूरी कीमत पेशगी मिल जाती है और वे उस अवधि के लिए उस धनराशि पर मिलने वाले ब्याज को अपने पास रख लेते हैं, यदि हां, तो इन डीलरों से किसानों की यह धनराशि वापस दिलाई जाएगी ; और

(ग) क्या इन डीलरों के विरुद्ध कोई कार्रवाई की जाएगी ?

उद्योग मंत्रालय (औद्योगिक विकास विभाग) में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती कृष्णा साही) (क) से (ग) मै. ट्रैक्टर एण्ड फार्म इक्युपमेंटस लि. (टी.ए.एफ.आई) ने राजस्थान सहित पूरे देश में मैसी फर्गुसन ट्रैक्टरों के डीलर नियुक्त किये हैं मै० टी. ए.एफ. आई. के अनुसार, ये ट्रक्टरों राजस्थान डीलर नियुक्त किए हैं । मै. टी.ए.एफ. ई. के अनुसार, ये ट्रक्टर राजस्थान में आसानी से उपलब्ध हैं और मांग में मौसमी उतार चढ़ाव के कारण हुई मामूली भिन्नताओं से पारगमन समय के अतिरिक्त किसी विशिष्ट समय के लिए प्रतीक्षा नहीं करनी पड़ती । इस प्रकार ऐसे अनाचार की कोई गुंजाइश नहीं है ।

Retired Government Officers in BHEL

4742. SHRI SUNDER SINGH BHANDARI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of retired Government and Public Sector officers above the age of 58 working in BHEL in the rank of Deputy General Managers and above and the total monthly salary and other emoluments that each of them is drawing;

(b) whether Government's attention has been drawn to irregularities of the BHEL management in making these appointments; and

(c) whether Government are considering cancellation of these appointments?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY AND DEPARTMENT OF PULIC ENTERPRISES) (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) As present, no retired Government or Public Sector Officer aged more than 58 years is working in BHEL in the rank of Deputy General Manager or above.

(b) and (c) Question does not arise.

Doordarshan Kendra at Dibrugarh

4743. SHRI BHADRESWAR BURAGOHAIN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the Doordarshan Kendra at Dibrugarh is regularly telecasting its programmes full of disturbance;

(b) whether Government propose to construct a new TV tower at a new site, as required up to its height, as the present one was not allowed to be constructed by the Civil Aviation Department up to its stipulated height; and

(c) if so, by when it is likely to start working?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) TV transmitter at Dibrugarh is repoted to be

generally functioning satisfactorily. However, there have been instances of interruption in the transmission from this transmitter on account of power supply failure and other technical/faults. Whereas temporary interruptions in the transmission occur each time the source of supply is shifted from the mains to the diesel generator and vice-versa, technical faults in the transmitter equipment are attended to promptly to ensure normal functioning.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Dibrugarh Radio Station

4744. SHRI BHADRESWAR BURAGOHAIN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are contemplating to upgrade the present Dibrugarh Radio Station;

(b) if so by when it is likely to be completed; and

(c) if not, the reasons thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) to (c) The present AIR transmitter at Dibrugarh was upgraded from 100 KW to 300 KW and commissioned in 1988. Since the maximum power assigned to Dibrugarh Transmitter under International regulations is only 300 KW there is no scope for further upgradation of its power.

List of Publications and Magazines Maintained by Registrar of Newspapers.

4745. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY:

SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Registrar of Newspapers in India maintains any list of publications and magazines published from various States; and

(b) if so, what are the names with addresses and the language of small and medium publications published from Andhra Pradesh?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The information is given in the Annexure. [*See* Appendix CLXIV, ANNEXURES No. 84]

Communication System in Hill Districts of U.P.

4746. SHRI P. UPENDRA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that there is an acute deficiency of communication system in the hill districts of Nainital and Almora in U.P.;

(b) if so, what steps are being taken in this regard; and

(c) what are the names of places in Kumaon Region of U.P. where Government propose to instal T. V. towers during the Eighth Five Year Plan?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) to (c) There is no acute deficiency of media communication system in the hill districts of Nainital and Almora in U.P. as far as activities of Directorate of Field Publicity and Song & Drama Division and also Radio coverage are concerned. There is, however, limited TV coverage in these two hill districts. A very Low Power transmitter at Chaukhutia in Almora district, a Low Power TV tansmitter at Champawat and a Very Low Power TV Transmitter at Ddihat in Pithoragarh districts are